

REMARKS

I. Claim Amendments

Claims 1-3, 5, and 11-25 are cancelled.

Claims 26-34 are added.

Claims 4, 6, and 7 are amended.

After amending the claims as set forth above, claims 4, 6-10, and 26-34 are now pending in this application.

II. Election of Species Requirement

In response to the election of species requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed September 30, 2009, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Species 3, drawn to a method for improving cicatrisation process, for restructuring the skin and/or mucous membranes, for treating and/or preventing the sagging of the skin and/or mucous membranes. This elected species falls within the scope of claims 4, and 6-10.

III. Conclusion

Applicants believe that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration of the restriction requirement for the claims as amended is respectfully requested.

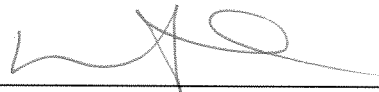
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing or a credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the

Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, Applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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